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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
 (San Jose)

MELISSA DEATHRIDGE	)	No. C08-00660 HRL
Plaintiff,	)	
v.	)	<b>DEFENDANTS' CONSENT TO</b>
	)	<b>PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED</b>
COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA, et al.	)	<b>STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE</b>
Defendants.	)	

CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the undersigned party hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Appeal

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1 from the judgment shall be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth  
2 Circuit.

3 Dated: February 7, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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